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Chief, Legislation Division/OLC

SUBJECT: H.R. 7072, Federal Government Mileage Allowance, Per Diem

REFERENCE: OLC 79-3230
21 November 1979

1. There have been a number of Bills thus far this Congress which address the issue of increasing Federal Government Mileage Allowance and Per Diem rates. Referenced memorandum forwarded to you for comment H.R. 5722, one such Bill.

2. Attached is H.R. 7072 which passed the House on 9 June 1980. Section 3 of the Bill provides authority for GSA to monitor and report on government agency travel practices. While at first blush this might seem troublesome, we believe that the Agency's authorities in Section 6 of the CIA Act of 1949 and subsection 102(d)(3) of the National Security Act of 1947 provide ample protection with regard to any information GSA might request under the terms of the Bill.

3. Should you wish to comment on the Bill, please call me as soon as possible.

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